

CIGARETTES LEAD SOLDIER'S WANTS

Persons Who Send Them Are
Next on List of Yankee's
Loves Abroad.

U. S. PLAYS AND PIE NEXT

Actors Fly on Wings of
Poetry Thanking Donors
to "Sun" Fund.

Smoking cigarettes, United States shows,
these are the things, above all, our
soldier boys prize.

Fifty hundred actors and actresses
are being sent to the front by the
United States government to furnish genuine
entertainment at the front.
The story in this paper the other day
told how a group of American girls had
started a pie counter in the trenches,
and how by hundreds of patriots,
seeing to it that the fellows don't go
without.

Black, pastry and puffs, these three,
the greatest of these is puffs. This
is the most desirable in Sergeant
and H. Buckler's. Sergeant Buckler,
is with a motor car detachment in
France, writes to one of the fund con-
tributors:

"You can never imagine how your
smoke has helped us along. For the
month the war is enough to keep
us busy. After that we go to My Lady
to get comfort."

"Next to My Lady in the esteem of
the soldiers is the person who is kind
and thoughtful enough to bring
us soldier and My Lady together."

"The things we miss most are Amer-
ican smokes, American tobacco and
American pies. Thank you again!"

Under the influence of the smokes
the fellows just simply can't
express themselves in common ordinary
way. For instance there's Lieut. N. E.
Hill of the United States Air Service,
from whom a donor is soon to receive
his gift.

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street, this afternoon to sell bonds and
tell of the good work of the Sun To-
bacco Fund. Copies of his book "A
Yankee in the Trenches" will be pre-
sented by the firm to purchasers of
bonds, and Corporal Holmes will
autograph them on request. Remember
that each subscriber to the loan is
privileged to designate one of five war
relief funds and to that fund James
McCreery & Co. give a dollar for his
subscription. The Sun Tobacco Fund
is in the list.

Lillian Ross and Gregory Kelly, who
take the parts of Jane Baxter and
William Sylvanus Baxter respectively
in Booth Tarkington's "Seventeen,"
created a diversion at the McCreery
both, yesterday afternoon. They were
in their stage costumes, and though
they did not come prepared to speak
they made a hit with the crowd.
Two entertainments arranged as fund
benefits will be given in this city to-
night. The annual cabaret and dance
of the employees of Post Office Station
T. to take place at McKinley Square
Casino, 164th street near Boston road,
will include also a military feature, a
drill and dress parade by the Nine-
teenth Central Postal Directory, from
Camp Upton. A stand of colors donated
by J. Schapiro will be blessed by the
Rev. Thomas P. Gregg, rector of St.
Augustine's church; the Rev. Thomas
C. Taylor of St. Paul's, and the Rev.
Meyer Koppelman of Temple Adath
Israel. The speech of presentation will
be made by Henry Bruckner, president
of Bronx borough.

Children to Perform.

A number of talented child per-
formers will have places on the musi-
cal programme, among them Ruth
Friedman, the ten-year-old star. A
jazz band will furnish the music for
dancing. The entire profits of this
splendid entertainment, which promises
to attract a large attendance, are to
be given to the smoke fund.

Another event to-night, which also
seems certain to develop into a great
attraction, will take place at the
New York Athletic Club. M. P. Hal-
pin, the manager, has arranged a fine
boxing programme, in addition to which
he has secured Harold J. Burback, who
recently was invalided back from France.
He will tell of his experiences at the front.
While in the trenches Corporal Bur-
back learned what it means to be with
our smokes and also what it means to
receive them, thanks to the loyal sup-
porters of the Sun fund. He will de-
scribe the soldiers' sensations graphi-
cally, and at the conclusion of his talk
the committee in charge of the evening
will take up a collection for the sol-
diers' smokes.

Thomas Healy is preparing to give a
big entertainment for the fund at his
May-November farms, Hartdale, West-
chester county, the night of May 14. A
splendid programme, including some of
the best features from Healy's Broad-
way restaurant, in addition to other at-
tractions, already is in course of prepa-
ration. Special trains of automobiles
will be run out to the farms from the
city. This popular suburban place will
have its grand opening for the season
May 10.

The Hilltop Club, a regular monthly
contributor, will have a Sun Tobacco
Fund night at the Hotel Glendening, 202
West 104th street, next Saturday. Sev-
eral Broadway favorites have volun-
teered their services, and the list of en-
tertainers will include also Anna Spec-
ton, Jack Dale and Joseph Baldwin from
the "Review of Cheetah" at the Campus
restaurant.

Phelps-Dodge Staff Helps.

The committee in charge of arrange-
ments is composed of David Power,
president of the club; Albert Buchanan,
vice-president; James Hayes, Michael
Pulewicz, John Stadtmuller, Charles
Stadtmuller, Henry Schreiber, William
Richardson and William Patton. Tickets,

including dinner, will be sold at \$1.50
each.

A splendid collective contribution
comes from the office staff of the Phelps-
Dodge Corporation, who took up a col-
lection of \$250 and sent it in "to add a
little enjoyment to the lives of the sol-
dier boys Over There." A full list of the
donors whose gifts make up this
splendid offering is published at the end
of this piece.

Eloquent testimony to the wide reach-
ing influence of the Sun fund and the great
popularity of the fund is seen in the
receipt of \$96.54, the result of a col-
lection taken in an East St. Louis the-
atre. This letter from Joseph Eber of
the Eber Amusement Company, Inc., of
that city, explains:

"Enclosed find check for \$96.54, col-
lected from our audience for your smoke
fund by Sam Lieberg & Co., an attrac-
tion appearing here as one of our vaude-
ville acts. Same is hereby tendered you,
courtesy of Eber's Theatre, East St.
Louis, Ill. With good wishes,
From the United Anglers League, of
which Dr. Benjamin M. Briggs is presi-
dent, comes \$22.50, the proceeds of the
sale of a check box donated by one of
the members at a meeting Thursday
night. It will be remembered that this
organization of salt water fishermen
made a donation to the fund at the time
of its annual Isaac Walton dinner last
season.

The members of the New York Kirk-
caldy Association collected \$10 for the
fund at a recent meeting. A donation
of \$5 from Mrs. Edward W. Sparks and
Mrs. C. G. Burdick is accompanied by a
note from Mr. Sparks, in which he says:
"I was greatly pleased to receive back
a lot of postal cards from abroad for
the donation I made to the tobacco
fund. Very great!"

Blind Tuna Successful.

The concert given by the Blind Tun-
ers' Guild on Thursday night at the
Lighthouse was successful in both an
artistic and a financial sense. On the
night of the concert the secretary, Rich-
ard Steinmetz, had a total of \$250 for
the Sun Tobacco Fund with several
patrons who had manifested interest still
to send in their checks, so that the
amount may be considerably increased.
Each of the participating artists had
to respond to frequent encores. Miss
Alice Johnson met her prime success
with a group of songs. In the national
costume of Norway she made a charm-
ing picture. William Furlmeyer's en-
core song, "Three for One Jack," had a
laughing triumph.

The total receipts from the United
Cigar stores have advanced to \$45,481.86,
a recent collection from the fund boxes
in some of these establishments yielding
\$1,083.42. The boxes are constant
sources of revenue, both in the United
and Schulte stores. The deposits of cer-
tificates and coupons which customers
make in their increase the supply of
smokes for the men at the front.

Alfred E. Henderson, who had an-
nounced an "Evening in the Trenches"
for May 3 at Aeolian Hall, has decided
to postpone the entertainment because
of the Liberty Loan campaign. The new
date will be announced later.

Remember: Our soldiers in France can't smoke up unless we dig up.

How the Fund Stands To-day.

THE SUN and THE EVENING SUN, \$1,000.00
United Cigar Stores boxes, undig-
ested special 5 per cent. of Gross
Sales Day, \$4,542.82
Otherwise acknowledged, \$1,250.00
New contributions, 299.46

Total, \$7,092.28

Shipped and paid for, \$500.00

Cash balance, \$1,077.25

Received through the Schulte Cigar
Stores, \$1,965.03

Grand total, \$10,119.56

New contributions are:

The New York Kirkcaldy Assn., \$10.00

Collected by Sam Lieberg & Co. at
Eber's Theatre, East St. Louis,
Ill., \$22.50

A. Oliver, Laurel in the Pines, Lake
wood, N. J., \$10.00

United Anglers League, \$22.50

Edith Sachs, New York, \$10.00

Mrs. Edward W. Sparks and Mrs.
C. G. Burdick, \$5.00

Donated by Phelps-Dodge
Corporation, \$250.00

A. C. James, \$10.00

E. H. Cogg, \$10.00

James McLean, \$10.00

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P. G. Becker, \$10.00

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\$90,000,000 ORDER FOR FREIGHT CARS

Rail Director Buys 30,000 and
Plans Purchase of 70,000
More Soon.

WASHINGTON, April 26.—An order for
30,000 new freight cars has been placed
with the American Car and Foundry
Company by the Railroad Administra-
tion at an approximate cost of from
\$80,000,000 to \$90,000,000.
Contracts for 70,000 more cars are to
be placed as soon as negotiations be-
tween the car builders and the Railroad
Administration are completed, running
the total cost to approximately \$200,-
000,000.

The cars projected by the American
Car and Foundry Company are to be of
the steel underframe type. They are to
be built according to standard designs
adopted by the Railroad Administration,
half coal cars and half box cars, for
heavy carrying capacity.

The contract, which was signed by
John Skelton Williams for the Railroad
Administration, provides that it is officially
stated, for 5 per cent. profit above actual
cost of manufacture. The cars are to
be completed in time for the heavy fall
and winter demand upon the railroads.
The American Car and Foundry Com-
pany has plants in Indiana, Illinois,
Michigan, Missouri, Pennsylvania and
Tennessee. It is understood that all of
them will be put to work on the govern-
ment work.

As fast as they are finished the new
cars will be placed where there is the
greatest need for them, without regard
to individual lines. In conformity with
the agreement reached with the War In-
dustries Board this type of car will have
a minimum quantity of steel.

\$25,000,000 More for Belgium.

WASHINGTON, April 26.—Another
credit of \$25,000,000 was granted to Bel-
gium by the Treasury today, making
her total borrowings from the United
States \$107,850,000, and credits to all
the Allies \$5,258,850,000.



The Road to Berlin— He Is Building It

YARD by yard—mile by
mile—this man and
millions like him—the best
of America's young man-
hood—are building the
road to Berlin—the road to
VICTORY!

He gladly of-
fers his life that
Americamay live;
that American
homes may be
safe forever from
the terror of Ger-
man arms.

Daily, hourly,
he will face a
thousand chances
of death from the
air, on the earth,
and from the depths under
the earth; from gas and
mines and snipers' bullets;
from bombs and shells and
flying shrapnel.

We asked this man
if he was down-
hearted. He laugh-
ed at us. "As old
General Grant
would have said,
'We'll fight it out
on these lines if it
takes a dozen
summers.'"

HE
NEEDS
YOUR
HELP
Look Him
in the Eye

and Then Buy All
the Liberty Bonds
You Can

This appeal is endorsed by the following members of the

NEW YORK PRODUCE EXCHANGE

who have contributed this space to help win the war

ARGENTINE IMPORT & EXPORT
ALBERS BROS. MILLING CO.
BERNET CRAFT & KAUFFMAN MILL CO.
CALABRESE MILLING CO.
FRANK CANZANA
JAMES CARRUTHERS & CO., Ltd.
S. CORTES
EXPORT FLOUR & FEED CO.
G. W. GARDINER & CO.
M. B. JONES & CO.
HENRY D. McCORD & SON, Inc.
L. A. MOREY
NELSON S. MUNGER
NEW CENTURY CO.
H. S. PEARLSTONE
A. PETTIT
WM. RIEMSCHEIDER
ROBINSON & SWEET
SCHILTHUIS & CO.
WM. P. TANNER GROSS & CO., Inc.
A. P. YOUNGBLOOD, Inc.



LIBERTY LOAN COMMITTEE
Second Federal Reserve District
120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY

THE LIBERTY LOAN FACTS

Liberty Bonds are engraved certificates of the United States Government promising to pay back with interest the money loaned to the Government by the purchaser of the Bond. They are backed by all the wealth of the United States.

1. The Government is asking for \$3,000,000,000 and may accept all the oversubscription above that amount.
2. The Bonds (both coupon and registered) are issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000 and \$10,000, and (registered only) \$50,000 and \$100,000.
3. The Bonds bear interest at 4½% per annum, payable semi-annually, on March 15th and September 15th.
4. Any previous Liberty Loan issues may be converted into 4½% bonds, retaining the date of maturity and the interest dates they now bear. Bonds of the Third Lib-

erty Loan have no conversion privilege.

5. The Bonds will be paid off by the Government on September 15th, 1928. At that date you will get back dollar for dollar the money you lend the Government now.
6. The principal and income from the Bonds are exempt from all taxes except (a) estate or inheritance taxes, and (b) additional income taxes (or surtaxes) and excess-profits and war-profits taxes. The income from Liberty Bonds not exceeding \$5,000 in aggregate principal amount is exempt from the taxes mentioned in (b). The Bonds are absolutely free from the normal tax

imposed by the Federal Income Tax Law.

7. The Government terms of payment are: 5% with application; 20% on May 28th; 35% on July 15th; 40% on August 15th.

Most banks will let you buy Liberty Bonds by paying \$1.00 a week on each \$50 bond, and many employers are extending the same service to their employees.